

The Concept of Organism between History and Theory: Perspectives in the Philosophy of Life Sciences

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Programme

9:30-10:00 Introduction, **Luca Illetterati** (Università di Padova)

The Semantics of Organism

10:00-11:00 **Charles Wolfe** (Ghent University)

The Organism as Hybrid and Polemic Concept

Coffee break

11:15-12:15 **Andrea Gambarotto** (IHPST Paris)

Organism and Vital Forces: Two Kinds of Biological Teleology

Lunch

14:00-15:00 **Georg Toepfer** (HU Berlin)

Organismicity and the Deconstruction of the Organism: From Substantial Forms to Degrees of Cooperation, Closeness and Agency

15:00-16:00 **Philippe Huneman** (IHPST Paris)

The Roles of Organism in Evolution. Considerations about some Extensions of the Modern Synthesis

Coffee break

16:15-17:15

Marcello Buiatti (Università di Firenze) *The Organism between Mechanical Metaphor and the Active Complexity of Life*

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